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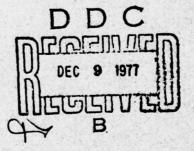
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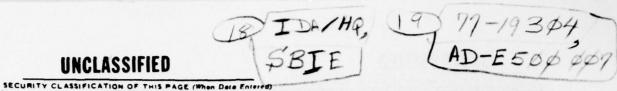


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| Flight simulation | \$27.4M | 35 % |
|--|---------|-------|
| Training devices | 24.9 | 31 |
| Instructional technology | 11.7 | 15 |
| Computer-assisted instruction | 6.3 | 8 |
| Performance measurement | 5.5 | 7 |
| Costs of training and methods of | | |
| developing cost data | 1.9 | 2 |
| Cost-effectiveness studies of training | 1.7 | 2 |
| | \$79.4M | 100 % |

This sum (\$79.4M) is about 62 percent of the total FY 1977 budget for RDT&E on Training and Personnel Technology (\$127.7M).

This analysis is part of an overall study to evaluate methods and data useful for determining the cost and effectiveness of alternative ways of training military personnel. Particular attention is directed in the study to the use of flight

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ABBREVIATIONS

ACM Air Combat Maneuvering ADIT Automated Data on Instructional Technology AFHRL Air Force Human Resources Laboratory - AS Advanced Systems Division - FT Flight Training Division - TT Technical Training Division ARI Army Research Institute ARPA Advanced Research Projects Agency (same as DARPA) ASUPT Advanced Simulator for Undergraduate Pilot Training AWAVS Advanced Wide Angle Visual Simulator CAI Computer Assisted Instruction CCTV Computer Controlled Television CE Cost-Effectiveness CIG Computer Image Generation CNA Center for Naval Analyses CTEA Cost and Training Effectiveness Analysis DARPA Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (same as ARPA) DDR&E Director Defense Research and Engineering DoD Department of Defense DSB Defense Science Board EVS Electro-Optical Viewing System HEL Human Engineering Laboratory IETS Individual Extension Training System IR Infrared IR&D Independent Research and Development IRETS Infantry Remoted Target Systems

Instructional System Development

ISD

ABBREVIATIONS cont'd

K Thousands

LLLTV Low-Light-Level Television

M Millions

MAGLAD Marksmanship Gunnery Laser Devices

MILES Multiple Integrated Laser Fngagement Systems

M&RA Manpower and Reserve Affairs

MISTER Mobile Integrated System Trainer Evaluator Recorder

NOE Nap-of-the-Earth Flight

NPRDC Naval Personnel Research and Development Center

NTEC Naval Training Equipment Center

ODDR&E Office of Director Defense Research and Engineering

OJCS Office of the Joint Chiefs of Staff

OJT On the Job Training

ONR Office of Naval Research

OSD Office of the Secretary of Defense

OSR Office of Scientific Research

PE Program Element

PM Trade Program Manager, Training Devices

RAND The Rand Corporation

RDT&E Research, Development, Test and Evaluation

Sim SPO Simulator Systems Project Office

SQT Skill Qualification Training

ABBREVIATIONS cont'd

TAC Tactical Air Command

TAEG Training Analysis and Evaluation Group

TAGS Tactical Air/Ground Simulators
TRADOC Training and Doctrine Command

USAREUR United States Army, Europe

VTOL Vertical Take Off and Landing

I. INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this paper is to identify the Research, Development, Test and Evaluation (RDT&E) program of the Department of Defense on military training.* This was accomplished by identifying the amount of effort, i.e., funds, allocated by each military service and Defense Agency to RDT&E on flight simulation, computer-assisted instruction, training devices, costs of training, performance measurement, cost-effectiveness studies and instructional technology. Four of these, flight simulation, training devices, computer-assisted instruction and cost-effectiveness studies of training are identified in the Task Order. The areas of instructional technology and performance measurement were added to insure more complete coverage of R&D relevant to training; no areas of R&D on training were excluded.

Large procurements are underway or are planned by all military services for flight simulators, computer-assisted instructional systems and many types of training devices. There are, in addition, large expenditures each year for military training which uses the equipments and procedures developed by R&D on training. Current concern with the cost and effectiveness of military training is an important reason for identifying R&D efforts intended to improve our knowledge about the costs of training, performance measurement and the cost-effectiveness of military training systems. Finally, the

^{*} This study was performed for ODDR&E (R&AT) on Task Order T-134 Costing and Effectiveness Methods for Defense Training.

area of instructional technology is concerned with the development of improved methods of training, and includes any type of R&D on training not appropriately included in the other categories.

The analysis is limited to the RDT&E program for Fiscal Year 1977. No effort is made to determine trends or requirements for research. A review of expenditures identifies magnitudes of effort but it does not imply that the adequacy of the research programs has been evaluated. Training is part of the DoD program on Training and Personnel Technology monitored by the Deputy Director of Defense Research and Engineering (Research and Advanced Technology).

II. FUNDING LEVELS FOR TRAINING AND PERSONNEL TECHNOLOGY, FY 1976 - FY 1978

Funds to support the RDT&E program on Training and Personnel Technology are found in 33 Program Elements (Appendix A). There is no routine way to estimate the amount of funds allocated by various military services and agencies for R&D to selected portions of this program, such as flight simulation or computerassisted instruction. The use of common Program Element (PE) numbers and common definitions for funds allocated by the Military Services to the same purpose is a concept that is not now in effect. Each Service or Defense Agency combines various portions of its R&D efforts on personnel and training in a unique way and uses unique Program Element numbers for its own purposes. There are two exceptions to this general statement: the Army and Air Force use a common PE number for Research on Training and Personnel Technology (61102A, F) and another for Studies and Analyses (65101A, F). The Army groups its c. orts on Training and Personnel Technology in 13 PE's, the Navy in 8, the Air Force in 8, and ARPA in 2.

RDT&E funds (Program 6 of the DoD) are organized in categories that reflect the flow of information from research to application:

- 6.1 Research
- 6.2 Exploratory Development
- 6.3 Advanced Development
- 6.4 Engineering Development
- 6.5 Management and Support
- 6.6 Operational System Development

The term "Technology Base" refers to efforts that contribute scientific knowledge and technical capabilities not directly associated with a particular application, such as a specific weapon system or flight simulator. The Technology Base is supported by funds for 6.1, 6.2 and some of the 6.3 category (called 6.3A); system development is funded by the remainder of category 6.3 as well as by 6.4 and 6.6; Management and Analytical Studies are funded in category 6.5. The distinction within category 6.3 is that some Advanced Development is for work that demonstrates the feasibility of certain technology (6.3A) whereas the rest (6.3B) is for work that constitutes the first phase in the development of a specific weapon system. Technology Base work in Training and Personnel Technology is performed, although not exclusively, by personnel and organizations in the behavioral and social science fields. Defense laboratories either perform or direct most of this work. System development (6.4 and 6.6) is generally performed, but again not exclusively, by engineering organizations (oriented towards aerospace in the case of flight simulation and towards electronics or data processing in the case of computerassisted instruction.) Industrial organizations are heavily involved in performing this work.

The summary of funds for Training and Personnel Technology, by Service and Program Element, for FY76-FY78 is shown in Tables 1 and 2. The Tables are based on information available in March 1977, with some modifications added in May 1977. All of the data come from authoritative documents, but an explanation is in order concerning their enduring value. The FY 1976 data represent history and are not likely to change; the FY 1977 data represent current research programs and may change slightly by 30 September 1977, the end of the fiscal year; the FY 1978 data represent a request for funds upon which Congress had not taken final action at the time of writing (1 June 1977), after which they are still subject to Appropriation Review by each military service. These

qualifications, especially with respect to data for FY 1978, should be kept in mind when reading the discussion which follows. The detailed analysis of the training program which appears later in this paper is based on FY 1977 fiscal data which are not expected to change significantly.

These data have been combined in Tables 3 and 4 to show trends in categories of research (6.1 - 6.6) and in Service expenditures. The total budget for Training and Personnel Technology increased from \$92M to \$163M or by \$71M (77 percent) from FY76 to FY78. There were increases in all categories of RDT&E (Table 3), the largest being in Engineering Development (6.4). As will be seen later, this primarily reflects increased efforts on flight simulators, training devices, and computer-aided Table 4 shows that the Air Force increased its budget for Training and Personnel Technology by \$32M (146 percent), the Army by \$25M (88 percent) and the Navy by \$11M (34 percent). In FY78, the Army and Air Force have comparable budgets (\$54M), while the Navy has less (\$41M). The budget for Training and Personnel Technology increased by 77 percent, while the total DoD budget for RDT&E increased by 25 percent (from \$9.5B in FY76 to \$11.9B for FY78).* Some of the increase for Training and Personnel Technology over this period may be interpreted as more apparent than real, resulting from the unusually small appropriation made by the Congress for these areas in FY 1976.

^{*} DoD Programs of RDT&E, FY 1977, Statement of Dr. Malcolm R. Currie to Congress, 3 February 1976, p. A-1

TABLE 1. FISCAL SUMMARY. TRAINING AND PERSONNEL TECHNOLOGY, PROGRAM ELEMENTS 6.1 and 6.2, BY SERVICE FOR FY 76-78

| Title Training & Personnel | FY 76 | FY 7T | FY 77 | FY 78 |
|---|--|---|--|--|
| Training & Personnel | | | | 11 10 |
| Hum Factors in Mil Sys Army Pers & Manp Tech Army Tng Tech | \$ 2.4 4.0 2.3 3.1 - \$11.8 | \$ 0.6 1.2 0.3 1.1 - \$ 3.2 | \$ 3.3 3.9 2.4 3.9 2.5 \$16.0 | \$ 3.1 5.5 4.1 5.0 2.3 \$20.0 |
| Behavioral & Social Sci. Tng & Human Eng Tech Naval Pers Support Tech | \$ 3.3 6.7 1.7 \$11.7 | \$ 0.9 1.7 0.5 \$ 3.1 | \$ 4.1 7.8 2.6 \$14.5 | \$ 5.5 9.0 2.9 \$17.4 |
| Training & Personnel Aerospace Biotechnology Train & Simulation Tech Personnel Util Tech | \$ 1.5 4.9 3.4 2.7 \$12.5 | \$ 0.4 - 1.2 0.9 \$ 2.5 | \$ 2.9 5.7 6.3 2.6 \$17.5 | \$ 3.2 7.1 8.6 3.0 \$21.9 |
| Technology | on 6.1 \$ 8.7 | \$ 2.3 | \$\frac{7.5}{10.6} | \$ 3.1 8.9 \$12.0 \$71.3 |
| | Hum Factors in Mil Sys Army Pers & Manp Tech Army Tng Tech Non-Sys Tng Devices Tech Behavioral & Social Sci. Tng & Human Eng Tech Naval Pers Support Tech Training & Personnel Aerospace Biotechnology Train & Simulation Tech Personnel Util Tech Def Res Sci (ARPA) Tng Forecasting & Decisi | Hum Factors in Mil Sys Army Pers & Manp Tech 2.3 Army Tng Tech Non-Sys Tng Devices Tech Behavioral & Social Sci. \$ 3.3 Tng & Human Eng Tech Naval Pers Support Tech Training & Personnel Aerospace Biotechnology Train & Simulation Tech Personnel Util Tech Def Res Sci (ARPA) Tng Forecasting & Decision Technology 6.1 \$ 8.7 | Hum Factors in Mil Sys 4.0 1.2 Army Pers & Manp Tech 2.3 0.3 Army Tng Tech 3.1 1.1 Non-Sys Tng Devices Tech - - \$11.8 \$3.2 Behavioral & Social Sci. \$3.3 \$0.9 Tng & Human Eng Tech 6.7 1.7 Naval Pers Support Tech 1.7 0.5 * 11.7 \$3.1 Training & Personnel \$1.5 \$0.4 Aerospace Biotechnology 4.9 - Train & Simulation Tech 3.4 1.2 Personnel Util Tech 2.7 0.9 \$12.5 \$2.5 Def Res Sci (ARPA) \$2.6 \$0.6 Tng Forecasting & Decision 6.1 1.7 Technology 6.1 1.7 \$8.7 \$2.3 | Hum Factors in Mil Sys |

Source: Training and Personnel Technology, Technical Area Descriptions, 1 March 1976, p. 255; incorporates revised data provided by ODDR&E (R&AT) 23 March 1977

^{*}Training and Personnel items only

^{**}The human factors engineering portion of this PE was transferred to Training and Personnel Technology from Medical and Life Sciences in 1976.

TABLE 2. FISCAL SUMMARY, TRAINING AND PERSONNEL TECHNOLOGY, PROGRAM ELEMENTS 6.3, 6.4 and 6.5, BY SERVICE FOR FY 76-78

| Program Element | <u>Title</u> | (\$ in Millions) FY 76 FY 7T FY 77 FY 78 |
|---|---|--|
| Army | | |
| 63209A DB39 63731A 63738A 63743A 63744A 64204A* D275 64715A | Air Mobility Support Flt Sim Comp. Mil Personnel Perf Dev Non-Sys Tng Devices Dev Tng & Util in Mil Sys Army Contemp Issues Dev Air Mobility Sup Equip Synthetic Flt Tng Sys Non-Sys Tng Devices Engr | \$ 0.3 \$ 0.1 \$ 0.9 \$ 1.4 2.3 0.8 3.5 2.6 2.0 - 2.9 5.2 4.2 1.0 5.5 8.4 0.5 0.1 0.3 0.5 2.9 0.9 5.4 6.2 4.5 0.8 7.6 8.2 |
| 65101A ** M746 | Studies & Analysis Manpower and Personnel | 0.2 0.4 0.3 1.4 |
| | | \$16.9 \$ 4.1 \$26.4 \$33.9 |
| Navy | | |
| 63701N 63707N 63720N 64703N 65154N** | Human Factors Engr Dev Navy Manp Control Sys Dev Education & Training Tr Devices Prototype Dev CNA | \$ 1.6 \$ 0.3 \$ 2.1 \$ 3.5 1.6 0.3 2.5 4.9 6.4 1.8 7.7 8.6 9.3 1.5 6.2 6.7 0.3 0.1 0.3 0.3 \$19.2 \$ 4.0 \$18.8 \$24.0 |
| Air Force | | |
| 63227F 63751F 64227F 65101F** | Adv Simulator Dev Train & Educ Innovations Flight Simulator Dev RAND | \$.3 \$.6 \$ 3.0 \$ 4.9 5.4 1.6 6.0 4.6 2.8 0.8 7.7 21.7 1.0 0.2 1.0 1.0 \$ 9.5 \$ 3.2 \$17.7 \$32.2 |
| OSD(M&RA) | | |
| 65105D ** | General Supt to OSD/OJCS Manpower Research (M&RA) TOTAL | $\frac{1.3}{\$46.9} \frac{0.3}{\$11.6} \frac{1.5}{\$64.4} \frac{1.5}{\$91.6}$ |

Source: Training and Personnel Technology, Technical Area Descriptions, 1 March 1976, p. 256; incorporates revised data provided by ODDR&E (R&AT) 24 March 1977

^{*}Not under cognizance of ODDR&E (R&AT)

^{**}Personnel aspects only

TABLE 3. TOTAL DOD PROGRAM FOR TRAINING AND PERSONNEL TECHNOLOGY BY RDT&E CATEGORIES, FY 76 - FY 78*

| Increase FY 76 - FY 78 | 52% | 62 | 81 | 119 | 56 | 27% |
|---------------------------|---------------|-----------|------|------|-----|----------------|
| Inci FY 76 | \$ 5.1M | 21.5 | 20.0 | 23.3 | 1.4 | \$71.3 |
| FY 78 | \$14.9M 9.1% | 56.4 34.6 | 27.4 | 26.3 | 5.6 | 100.0% |
| | \$14.9M | 56.4 | 44.6 | 42.8 | 4.2 | \$162.9 |
| FY 77 | \$13.4M 10.9% | 45.2 36.7 | 28.0 | 21.9 | 2.5 | 100.0% |
| FY | \$13.4M | 45.2 | 34.4 | 26.9 | 3.1 | 100.1% \$123.0 |
| 92 | 9.8M 10.7% | 38.1 | 26.9 | 21.3 | 3.1 | |
| FY 76 | \$ 9.8M | 34.9 | 24.6 | 19.5 | 2.8 | \$91.6 |
| RDT&E Category | 6.1 | 6.2 | 6.3 | 6.4 | 6.5 | |

* Data from Tables 1 and 2

TABLE 4. TOTAL DOD PROGRAM FOR TRAINING AND PERSONNEL TECHNOLOGY BY SERVICE AND DEFENSE AGENCY, FY 78*

| Increase FY 76 - FY 78 | 88% | 34 | 146 | 38 | 15 | | 77% |
|---------------------------|---------------|------|-----------|-------|-----|---|----------------|
| Increase FY 76 - FY | \$25.2M | 10.5 | 32.1 | 3.3 | 0.2 | | \$71.3 |
| FY 78 | \$53.9M 33.1% | 25.4 | 33.2 | 7.4 | 6.0 | | \$162.9 100.0% |
| FY | \$53.9M | 41.4 | 54.1 | 12.0 | 1.5 | | \$162.9 |
| FY 77 | \$42.4M 34.5% | 27.1 | 28.6 | 8.6 | 1.2 | 1 | 100.0% |
| FY | \$42.4M | 33.3 | 35.2 | 10.6 | 1.5 | | \$123.0 100.0% |
| 92 | \$28.7M 31.3% | 33.7 | 24.0 | 9.5 | 1.4 | 1 | 99.66 |
| FY 76 | \$28.7M | 30.9 | 22.0 | 8.7 | 1.3 | | \$91.6 |
| Service or Agency | Army | Navy | Air Force | DARPA | OSD | | |

* Data from Tables 1 and 2

III. RDT&E EFFORTS ON MILITARY TRAINING, FY 1977

The previous section provides background to the main concern of this paper, which is to describe the magnitude and types of RDT&E efforts on military training in the areas of flight simulation, computer-assisted instruction (CAI), training devices, costs of training, performance measurement, cost-effectiveness studies and instructional technology. The basic data on the research programs were provided by the Services for the FY77 Apportionment Reviews conducted by ODDR&E in June and July 1976. Other sources of information were the DoD RDT&E Program in Training and Personnel Technology, Technical Area Descriptions, 1 March 1976 (noted earlier), the Five Year Research and Technology Plans of each Service, the Research and Development Planning Summary (DD Form 1634), and the Research and Technology Work Unit Summary (DD Form 1498). The two latter summaries come from a DoD data bank which stores information on the R&D tasks of all Services.

These documents vary widely in the amount of detail and type of information they provide. The Work Unit describes the purpose and plan of each proposed study and is the lowest level of aggregation of planning data in the DoD research system. A typical Work Unit may require one professional man-year of work, cost about \$60,000, and produce a technical report or a small training device. After the Work Unit, increasing levels of aggregation of work are the Task Area, Project (or sub-element) and, ultimately, the Program Element. The Program Element is a line item in the budget; it provides the least detailed information but provides for the most funds. Program Elements in Training and Personnel Technology vary in size from about \$1M to \$8M per year. The larger ones tend

to be associated with the development of prototype training equipment, simulation devices or instructional programs. Descriptive Summaries are provided to support the submission of the RDT&E budget to Congress. It could be (and undoubtedly has been) said that too much rather than too little information is available about the research budget. Nevertheless, this review of the amount of funds allocated by the Military Services and Defense Agencies to key areas of the R&D program on training required a special effort and could not be accomplished in a routine fashion.

Variations in the way the Services report their RDT&E programs inevitably affect one's ability to describe their work in comparable terms. One source of variation arises from the fact that the Army associates its funds with Projects rather than with Work Units in the Apportionment Review; the other Services use Work Units. The DARPA data are similar in format to those of the Army. variation arises from the fact that Laboratory Support Funds which support some in-house research are not always associated with specific Work Units or Task Areas, or with the outside contracts which they support. This is a particular problem in the formal documentation of the Air Force. Thus, if uniformity of reporting is an objective of the DoD, it would be necessary to establish a common format. In addition, planning documents are revised throughout the year and not all the changes may be reflected in our Therefore, all tabulations reported in this paper were reviewed for accuracy by representatives of each Service and corrected, as required. Needless to say, the appraisal presented here is not an official one.

Current RDT&E activities of the Military Services and Defense Agencies for FY 1977 were identified in the following areas of training explained previously:

Flight simulation Computer-assisted instruction (CAI) Training devices Costs of training, and methods of developing cost data in training

Performance measurement and methods of measuring effectiveness relevant to training

Cost-effectiveness studies of training
Instructional technology, i.e., R&D on training
technology not otherwise identified

Specifically, this means that each identifiable Work Unit (or smallest aggregation of work reported to the DoD) was reviewed carefully and allocated to one or more (or none) of these areas, as appropriate. The review covered the entire RDT&E program and was not limited to the Technology Base. It did not cover R&D activities supported by non-RDT&E funds, i.e., which might occur in weapon system development or in a wide variety of operational activities. The detailed tabulations showing Program Element, Work Unit or Task Area, performing organization and funds, for work being conducted in FY 1977 in each of these areas are contained in Appendix B. These data are summarized in Tables that appear in the body of the report.

Certain RDT&E activities which undoubtedly improve the effectiveness of training were excluded arbitrarily from these tabulations, namely Work Units associated with research on selection, human factors engineering, motivation and morale, manpower management, environmental stress and decision making. It is likely, for example, that improved selection methods could identify personnel who can more readily be trained in particular duties; and that improved human factors design of equipment for easier use by people could reduce the amount and type of training required for their operation and maintenance. In terms of its potential impact, almost all of the DoD program on Training and Personnel Technology could be regarded as relevant to training, but selection and the other areas were excluded from consideration because the primary emphasis here is R&D on training.

Different treatment was also accorded to Research, i.e., 6.1 efforts intended to improve our knowledge and general understanding of human behavior relevant to training. These Work Units tend to be small, are generally not larger than one man-year each, and are performed predominantly by not-for-profit organizations and inhouse personnel, although some industrial organizations are also involved. Research on training tends to have broad relevance to many aspects of training and an attempt to identify a study with such specific areas as flight simulation or computer assisted instruction could be quite arbitrary. Therefore, the allocations of 6.1 Work Units to various aspects of training were based entirely on statements of relevance provided by the Services in the Apportionment Review or other documents.

The allocation of funds for FY 1977 to selected areas of training is summarized by military components in Table 5 and by category of RDT&E funds in Table 6. Note that the total of \$127.7M for RDT&E on Training and Personnel Technology is larger than the value shown in Table 3 (\$123.0M for FY 77) because it includes \$4.7M for Independent Research and Development (IR&D) performed by industrial contractors and supported by DoD as an overhead expense. IR&D data were available only for FY 1976.

The total funds allocated in FY 1977 to selected areas of training are:

| Flight simulation | \$27.4M | 34.5% |
|-------------------------------|---------|-------|
| Training devices | 24.9 | 31.4 |
| Instructional technology | 11.7 | 14.7 |
| Computer-assisted instruction | 6.3 | 7.9 |
| Performance measurement | 5.5 | 6.9 |
| Costs of training | 1.9 | 2.4 |
| Cost-effectiveness studies | 1.7 | 2.1 |
| | \$79.4M | 99.9% |

FUNDS ALLOCATED BY MILITARY COMPONENTS TO RDT&E ON SELECTED AREAS OF TRAINING, FY 1977 (000 omitted) TABLE 5.

| Cost Effec- Instruc- tiveness tional Tech- Studies nology | 360 | 4,092 | 1,351 | 1,217 | | 671 | 591 |
|--|-----------------|-------|-----------|-------|-----|---------|-------------------|
| Instru tional | \$ 4,3 | 4,0 | 1,3 | 1,5 | | • | \$11,691 |
| Cost Effec- tiveness Studies | \$ 485 \$ 4,360 | 1,135 | 33 | 1 | 1 | 1 | \$1,653 |
| Performance Measurement | \$3,018 | 1,923 | 376 | 159 | 1 | 1 | \$5,476 |
| Costs, Cost Method- ology | \$ 200 | 475 | 525 | 75 | 1 | 335 | \$1,910 |
| Training Devices | \$14,654 | 8,850 | 200 | I | 1 | 736 | \$24,940 \$1,910 |
| Computer- assisted Instruc- tion | \$ 100 | 2,460 | 3,215 | 528 | 1 | 25 | \$6,328 |
| Flight Simu- lation | \$6,523 | 4,206 | 13,105 | 1 | 1 | 3,574 | \$127.7M \$27,408 |
| Total* | \$ 42.4M | 33.3 | 35.2 | 10.6 | 1.5 | 4.7 | \$127.7M |
| Military | Army | Navy | Air Force | DARPA | OSD | IR&D ** | TOTAL |

* All funds for Training and Personnel Technology

** Independent Research and Development, FY 1976

TABLE 6. RDT&E PROGRAMS CLASSIFIED IN MORE THAN ONE CATEGORY (\$000)

| e ch- | | | | | | | | |
|---|--------------------|-----|----------------|------|-------------|-------------------------------|------------|---------------|
| Instruc- tional Tech- nology | \$ 200 | 160 | 200 | 200 | | | | \$1,960 |
| Cost Effec- tiveness Studies | \$ 200 | 092 | | | 65 | | | \$1,325 |
| Perform- ance Measure- ment | | | | | | | | |
| Costs, Cost Method- ology | | | | | \$ 65 | | | \$ 65 |
| Training Devices | \$ 200 | | 200 | 200 | | 736 | | \$1,936 \$ 65 |
| Computer- assisted Instruc- tion | | 0 | | | | | \$25 | \$25 |
| Flight Simu- lat io n | | | | | | \$736 | 25 | \$761 |
| Program | Navy 63720N ZPN 58 | 20 | AF 63751F 1194 | 2361 | 65101F 3106 | IR&D Simulation Technology | Technology | TOTAL |

It is obvious that major emphasis is being given to flight simulation (34.5 percent) and training devices (31.4 percent). Table 5 shows that the Air Force spends the largest amount of its funds (\$13.1M or 37 percent) on flight simulation and the Army emphasizes training devices (\$14.7M or 35 percent) primarily for engagement simulation, a term given to devices which simulate field operations with tanks, artillery, missiles and hand-held weapons, and which also simulate targets for these weapons. The difference between \$79.4M and the total of all funds for Training and Personnel Technology (\$127.7M) supports research in selection, human factors engineering and other areas which, as explained above, were not considered in this paper.

Some of the R&D programs were relevant to more than one of the categories used in this analysis. In these cases, the funds were allocated to both categories, since there was no information available on which to base a 50%-50% or any other division. The consequence, of course, is that the funds shown in Table 5 represent the maximum amount of effort allocated to each area of research on training. Multiple allocations were made for seven programs totalling \$2.8M or 3.5 percent of the funds shown in Table 5; the programs and allocations are shown in Table 6. Deleting these funds would obviously result in different estimates for the amount of effort allocated to each category:

| | Totals Shown in Table 5 | Multiple Allocations Identified in Table 6 | Range in Estimate of Effort |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|
| Flight simulation | \$ 27.4M | \$0.761M | \$26.6-27.4M |
| Training devices | 24.9 | 1.936 | 23.0-24.9 |
| Instructional technology | 11.7 | 1.960 | 9.7-11.7 |
| Computer-assisted instruction | 6.3 | 0.025 | 6.3- 6.3 |
| Performance measurement | 5.5 | <u>-</u> | 5.5 |
| Cost of training | 1.9 | 0.065 | 1.8- 1.9 |
| Cost-effectiveness studies | 1.7 | 1.325 | 0.4- 1.7 |

There would be no change in the order in which these areas receive emphasis. However, if all amounts estimated as relevant to cost-effectiveness studies were allocated elsewhere, the amount of effort in this category would shrink from \$1.7M to \$0.4M.

Table 7 shows that large funds (about \$13M and \$14M, respectively) are assigned to Engineering Development (6.4) of flight simulators and training devices. No other area receives this type of support. Appreciable amounts are also spent for Advanced Development (6.3) in all areas. The expenditure of larger funds for the development of prototype equipment and software and of smaller funds for research is characteristic of all areas of technology, including Training and Personnel. It was possible to identify only very small amounts of funds for Research (6.1), especially with respect to flight simulation and training devices (\$200 K). The independent research efforts (IR&D) of industrial contractors are directed principally towards the major market in flight simulation (\$3.6M), with much smaller efforts concerned with training devices and instructional technology.

The allocations of the Military Services and Defense Agencies are shown in Tables 8 to 11, and summarized briefly as follows. The Army assigns the largest amount of its funds (see totals) to training devices (engagement simulations for artillery, infantry and combined arms support) and most of this goes to the development

TABLE 7. CATEGORIES OF RDT&E FUNDS ALLOCATED TO SELECTED AREAS OF TRAINING, FY 1977 (000 omitted)

| ### RDT&E Category 6.1 \$ 1 6.2 4 6.3 3 6.4 2 6.5 FR&D ** | Total * \$ 13.4M 45.2 34.4 26.9 3.1 | Flight Simu- lation \$ 170 2,036 8,737 12,891 | Computer- assisted Instruc- Traini tion Device \$ 200 \$ 200 1,463 4,620 4,575 5,579 - 13,805 65 - 25 736 | Costs, Cost Cost Cost Devices Cost S 200 \$ 125 4,620 \$ 350 5,579 1,035 13,805 - 65 736 335 | | Performance Measurement \$ 597 1,763 3,116 | Cost Effec- tiveness Studies \$ - 133 1,520 | Instruc- tlonal Tech- nology \$ 1,347 4,172 5,430 - 71 71 |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|---|--|---------|--|---|---|
| 112 | \$127.7M | \$27,408 | \$6,328 | \$24,940 | \$1,910 | \$5,476 | \$1,653 | \$11,691 |

* All funds for Training and Personnel Technology

^{**} Independent Research and Development, FY 1976

TABLE 8. ARMY ALLOCATIONS FOR RDT&E ON SELECTED AREAS OF TRAINING, FY 1977 (000 omitted)

| A . | | | | | | |
|---|--------------------|-------|-------|-------|-----|----------------|
| Instruc- tional Tech- nology | \$ 530 | 1,375 | 2,455 | | 1 | \$4,360 |
| Cost Effec- tiveness Studies | ا دی | 1 | 485 | ı | 1 | \$485 |
| Cost Effec- Performance tiveness Measurement Studies | ı &> | 730 | 2,288 | | 1 | \$3,018 |
| Costs, Cost Method- ology | \$125 | 180 | 195 | 1 | 1 | \$500 |
| Training Devices | \$ 200 \$125 | 2,925 | 3,949 | 7,580 | | \$14,654 \$500 |
| Computer- assisted Instruc- Training Method- tion Devices ology | ۱ دی | 100 | 1 | 1 | 1 | \$100 |
| Flight Simu- lation | ا دی | 1 | 1,132 | 5,391 | | \$6,523 \$100 |
| Tota1 | \$ 3.3M | 12.7 | 13.1 | 13.0 | 0.3 | \$42.4M |
| Army | 6.1 | 6.2 | 6.3 | 6.4 | 6.5 | TOTAL |

TABLE 9. NAVY ALLOCATIONS FOR RDT&E ON SELECTED AREAS OF TRAINING, FY 1977 (000 omitted)

| Instruc- tional Tech- nology | 732 | 1,085 | 2,275 | , | 1 | | \$4,092 |
|---|---------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-----|---|-------------------------|
| , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , | ⇔ 1 ⇔ | 100 | 1,035 | • | 1 | | \$1,135 \$ |
| Cost Effec- Performance tiveness Measurement Studies | \$ 495 | 009 | 828 | 1 | | | \$1,923 |
| Costs, Cost Method- ology | ı ⇔ | 1 | 475 | ı | 1 | | \$ 475 |
| Training Devices | ı ⇔ | 1,695 | 930 | 6,225 | 1 | | \$8,850 |
| Computerassisted Instruction | ı ⇔ | 585 | 1,875 | 1 | 1 | | \$4,206 \$2,460 \$8,850 |
| Flight Simu- | l \$ } | 631 | 3,575 | 1 | 1 | | \$4,206 |
| Total | \$41.M | 10.4 | 12.3 | 6.2 | 0.3 | - | \$33.3M |
| Navy | 6.1 | 6.2 | 6.3 | 6.4 | 6.5 | | TOTAL |

TABLE 10. AIR FORCE ALLOCATIONS FOR RDT&E ON SELECTED AREAS OF TRAINING, FY 1977 (000 omitted)

| rech- | | | | | | 1 | |
|--|---------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-----|---|------------------|
| Instruc- tional Tech- nology | 82 | 495 | 200 | 1 | 7.1 | | 33 \$ 1,351 |
| | € 7 | 33 | ı | , | • | | \$ 33 \$ |
| Cost Cost Method-Performance tiveness Ology Measurement Studies | 102 | 274 | , | , | 1 | | \$ 376 \$ |
| Costs, Cost Method-Pology | + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + | 92 | 365 | 1 | 65 | | \$ 525 |
| Training devices | ا ئ | ı | 200 | 1 | 1 | | \$ 700 |
| Computer assisted Instruction | \$ 200 | 250 | 2,700 | 1 | 65 | | \$3,215 |
| Flight Simu- lation | \$ 170 | 1,405 | 4,030 | 7,500 | 1 | | \$13,105 \$3,215 |
| Total | \$ 2.9M | 14.6 | 0.6 | 7.7 | 1.0 | | \$35.2M |
| Air Force | 6.1 | 6.2 | 6.3 | 6.4 | 6.5 | | TOTAL |

TABLE 11. OTHER ALLOCATIONS FOR RDT&E ON SELECTED AREAS OF TRAINING, FY 1977 (DARPA, OSD, IR&D) (000 omitted)

| Instruc- tional Tech- nology | l 9 | 1,217 | ı | 1 | 1 | 671 | \$1,888 |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------|-------|-----|-----|---------|-------|----------|
| Cost Effec- tiveness Studies | l ₩ | 1 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | ı \$> |
| Performance Measurement | ι છ | 159 | 1 | 1 | | 1 | \$ 159 |
| Costs, Cost Method- ology | ı ⊗ | 75 | 1 | 1 | ı | 335 | \$ 410 |
| Training Devices |) 69 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 736 | \$ 736 |
| Computer assisted Instruc- | ا دی | 528 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 25 | \$ 223 |
| Flight Simu- lation | I ₩ | 1 | 1 | ı | 1 | 3,574 | \$3,574 |
| Total | \$ 3,100 | 7,500 | 1 | ı | 1,500 | 4,741 | \$16,841 |
| Defense Agencies/ IR&D | DARPA 6.1 | 6.2 | 6.3 | 6.4 | OSD 6.5 | IR&D | TOTAL |

of prototype devices (Engineering Development, 6.4). This is followed by support for flight simulation (primarily Engineering Development of the Synthetic Flight Training System) and instructional technology. The Army appears not to conduct R&D on computerassisted instruction. This may be due to a difficulty in interpreting data provided in the Apportionment Review; some of the R&D shown here as "Instructional Technology" may in fact be relevant to CAI.

The Navy allocates the largest share of its funds to training devices, principally to Engineering Development of the Sub-Ocean Acoustic Trainer and MISTER. This is followed by Advanced Development in flight simulation (AWAVS, Advanced Wide Angle Visual Simulation) and adaptive training systems relevant both to CAI and instructional technology. The Navy is also pushing simulation for maintenance training on the Trident and other programs (i.e., OAST, Organic Application of Shipboard Technology).

The largest Air Force efforts relate to all aspects of flight simulation, followed by CAI for technical training.

DARPA's budget of \$10.6M in Cybernetic Technology includes about \$1.2M for Exploratory Development on instructional technology and \$0.5M for CAI (distribution of effort within these areas cannot be identified with currently available data). Independent Research and Development of industrial organizations is almost wholely related to flight simulation, with smaller amounts assigned to training devices and instructional technology.

It is necessary to note that smaller amounts of funds are directed towards three important areas. Returning to Table 5, these are:

| Performance measurement | \$5.5M |
|----------------------------|--------|
| Costs of training | 1.9 |
| Cost-effectiveness studies | 1.7 |

Each Military Service allocates about \$500K for efforts related to collecting data on costs. The Army spends about \$3M and the Navy about \$2M for studies on performance measurement in the area of training; the Air Force \$0.4. The Navy has the largest effort on the pay-off question in training, i.e., on cost-effectiveness studies of training. All of the service efforts on performance measurement, costs of training and cost-effectiveness studies are supported by Technology Base funds; about \$0.3M in IR&D is also spent on cost studies (Table 7).

The suggestion that the Military Services do not conduct Engineering Development on equipment for performance measurement may be incorrect. Although such efforts are not shown directly in Table 7, it may be that scoring equipment useful for performance measurement is developed as an integral part of flight simulators and training devices.

Table 7 also suggests that little RDT&E is accomplished on costs of training and on cost-effectiveness studies relevant to training. This does not necessarily mean that the Services do not conduct cost-effectiveness studies of training. Cost-effectiveness studies are known to be conducted, with non-RDT&E funds, by such organizations as the Army's TRADOC and the Navy's TAEG. This is discussed below.

IV. EVALUATION: STATUS OF COST-EFFECTIVENESS STUDIES OF TRAINING

In 1976, the DSB Task Force on Training Technology said:

"Defense training is apparently effective: trainees complete courses and are assigned to operational units in the numbers required to operate and maintain the DoD's weapon systems. However, with few exceptions, almost no training cost-effectiveness ratios are employed in OSD or the Military Departments. As a consequence, the DoD cannot presently assess the true impact of alternative training systems, and ODDR&E cannot assess the true or potential worth of its R&D program on training technology. In addition, non-corresponding management information categories are employed in the major OSD documents relating to training and R&D on training; this makes it difficult to determine which R&D areas are more likely to produce beneficial cost-effective results. To improve the effectiveness of training and Training Technology R&D, the DoD should:

1. Develop a capability to perform cost-effectiveness analyses of training technology."

Source: Summary Report of the Task Force on Training Technology, Defense Science Board, ODDR&E, 27 February 1976, page x

The only R&D on cost-effectiveness found in the FY 1977 program was performed by the Navy at NTEC on flight simulation and maintenance training and at NPRDC on shipboard training and on performance aids (total of \$1.2M). The Air Force had a small effort on courseware development in technical training (\$33K); the Army supported work on the cost-effectiveness of embedded training and of collective tank and infantry training. The present data, which were collected 6 to 9 months after the DSB report was published, are consistent with the findings of that report.

Nevertheless, the Services have been responsive to the recommendation made by the DSB Task Force as illustrated by the following actions. The Army is conducting a Cost and Training Effectiveness Analysis (CTEA) of the CH-47 helicopter flight simulator at Fort Rucker, Alabama. The Navy has completed the first phase of a training effectiveness evaluation, including a cost analysis of the P-3C operational flight trainer at the Training Analysis and Evaluation Group, Orlando, Florida. The Air Force has established an Economic and Cost Analysis function at the Headquarters of the AF Human Resources Laboratory, Brooks Air Force Base, Texas, to monitor cost analyses in its entire program. The efforts of the Army and Navy are not RDT&E activities, i.e., they are not supported by RDT&E funds; the effort of the Air Force is an RDT&E activity. However they may be funded, we may anticipate that, in the future, there will be an increased number of cost-effectiveness studies in the area of training.

Because this review was limited to RDT&E activities, it may also have overlooked improvements to flight simulators or training devices which occur as part of the procurement cycle or as modifications to these equipments after procurement based on their operational use by the Services.

V. CONCLUSIONS

An analysis of Work Units shows that the following funds were allocated to RDT&E activities in FY 1977:

| Flight simulation Training devices Instructional Technology Computer-assisted instruction Performance measurement Costs of training and methods of developing cost data Cost-effectiveness studies of training | \$27.4M 24.9 11.7 6.3 5.5 1.9 |
|--|--|
| cost-effectiveness studies of training | \$79.4M |

This amount is about 62 percent of the total budget for RDT&E on Training and Personnel Technology (\$127.7M) for FY 1977, of which it is a part. The latter amount includes about \$4.7M for Independent Research and Development (IR&D) performed by private organizations for the Department of Defense.

Areas receiving major attention in the RDT&E program are the development and evaluation of flight simulation, engagement simulation of battlefield activities and computer-assisted instruction. Less attention is being given in the RDT&E program to performance measurement in training and to cost-effectiveness studies of training.

APPENDIX A

PROGRAM ELEMENTS FOR RDT&E ON TRAINING AND PERSONNEL TECHNOLOGY

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| 61101E* | Defense research sciences |
|-----------|--|
| 61102A,F* | Training and personnel |
| 61153N* | Behavioral and social sciences |
| 62202F* | Aerospace biotechnology |
| 62205F | Training and simulator technology |
| 62703F | Personnel utilization technology |
| 62709E | Training forecasting and decision technology |
| 62716A | Human factors in military systems |
| 62717A | Army personnel and manpower technology |
| 62722A | Army training technology |
| 62727A | Non-systems training devices technology |
| 62757N | Training and human engineering technology |
| 62763N | Naval personnel support technology |
| 63209A | Air mobility support |
| | DB39 flight simulation components |
| 63227F | Advanced simulator development |
| 63701N | Human factors engineering development |
| 63707N | Navy manpower control system development |
| 63720N | Education and training |
| 63731A | Military personnel performance development |
| 63738A | Non-system training devices development |
| 63743A | Training and utilization in military systems |
| 63744A | Army contemporary issues development |
| | |

^{*}Training and personnel sub-elements only

APPENDIX A cont'd

| 63751F | Training and education innovations |
|---------|---|
| 64204A* | Army mobility support equipment D275 synthetic flight training system |
| 64227F | Flight simulator development |
| 64703N | Training devices prototype development |
| 64715A | Non-system training devices engineering |
| 65101A* | Studies and analysis M746 manpower and personnel |
| 65101F* | Studies and analysis, RAND |
| 65105D | General support to OSD/JCS Manpower research (M&RA) |
| 65154N* | CNA |

^{*}Training and personnel sub-elements only

APPENDIX B

RDT&E ACTIVITIES OF THE MILITARY SERVICES AND DEFENSE AGENCIES ON MILITARY TRAINING, FY 1977

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ARMY
NAVY
AIR FORCE
DEFENSE AGENCIES, INCLUDING IR&D

Work Units and Funds of each Military Service and Agency are identified in the following areas of military training:

- 1. Flight simulation
- 2. Computer-assisted instruction
- 3. Training devices
- 4. Costs of training and methods of developing cost data in training
- 5. Performance measurement and methods of measuring
- 6. Cost-effectiveness studies of training
- 7. Instructional technology (including R&D on training technology not otherwise identified)

All data are given in thousands of dollars (000 omitted).

NOTE:

Data provided by ARI for the FY 77 Apportionment Review do not identify the amount of effort assigned to particular studies. The assistance of Dr. A. Birnbaum of ARI in providing funding data is very much appreciated. Where detailed information was not available, the allocation of effort to the areas of flight simulation, CAI, non-systems training devices, etc., was based on allocations shown in "Project/TCP sub-area funding matrix, Education and Training, FY 77" submitted by ARI for the Apportionment Review. The following arbitrary assignments were made to produce the attached estimates:

| | : Project/TCP Sub-area Funding Matrix, 77 - Education and Training | Areas of training, this paper |
|----|--|-------------------------------|
| Α. | Plan and evaluate education/ training programs | Instructional technology |
| В. | Design education/training methods and media | Instructional technology |
| C. | Evaluate trainees | Performance measurement |
| D. | New generation education/ training systems | Instructional technology |
| Ε. | Applications to special training problems | Instructional technology |
| F. | Design & engineering of devices, components for training system | Training devices |
| G. | Prototype training devices, simulation and computer systems | Training devices |

Human Factors

| Α. | Human performance capabilities | None |
|----|--|--|
| в. | Simulation, analyses, models | None |
| C. | Personnel and manpower factors in system design and life-cycle costing | Costs of training and cost methodology |
| D. | Operability design concepts and criteria | None |
| Ε. | Operational assessment | Performance measurement |

| FLIGHT | SIMULATION | |
|--------|--|-----------|
| 63209A | | |
| DB39 | Flight simulation components | \$ 882 |
| 63743A | | |
| A 722 | Aircrew performance in tactical environment. ARI | |
| | Task B. Flight simulation | 250 |

COMPUTER-ASSISTED INSTRUCTION

62725A

A 778 Software research in human factors. ARI \$ 100

TRAINING DEVICES 61102A B 74F Manpower and human resources. Design and engineering of devices, components for training system \$ 100 Prototype training devices, simulation and 100 computer systems 200 62716A AH 70 Army human factors engineering. HEL \$ 150 (funding for FY 7T and FY 77) 62722A A 764 Training and education. ARI Design and engineering of devices, components 100 for training system Prototype training devices, simulation and 165 computer systems 275 62727A A 230 Non-systems training devices technology. (Formerly AH 70). PM Trade -01 403 Laser simulation technology Indirect area fire simulation. Laser guided weapons integrated training system High performance aircraft - MILES Engagement simulation 658 -02 Visual display technology. Wide angle laser scan.

360° annular visual system Optical image display Visual simulation analysis

TRAINING DEVICES Cont'd

62727A cont'd

| A 230 cont'd | | | | |
|---|---|------|---|--|
| -03 Electronic simulation technology. Command group training support system Maneuver control, casualty assessment reporting system Electronic warfare simulator Engineering equipment simulator | | | | |
| -04 | Electromechanical simulation technology | 1274 | | |
| -05 | Maintenance simulation technology | 90 | | |
| | | 2500 | | |
| 63731A | | | | |
| A 770 | Performance oriented individual skill | | | |
| | Design and engineering of devices, components for training system | 110 | | |
| | Prototype training devices, simulation and computer systems | 165 | | |
| | | 275 | | |
| 63738A | | | | |
| A 115 | Non-systems training devices - infantry. | | | |
| -11 | Infantry remoted target systems IRETS | 2406 | | |
| -12 | | 438 | _ | |
| | MAGLAD I | 2844 | | |

TRAINING DEVICES Cont'd, p.2

63743A A 771 System embedded training development. ARI Training concepts and delivery Task A: system development \$360 Automation, simulation & Task B: evaluation 295 A 773 Combat unit training. ARI Prototype training devices, simulation and 75 computer systems Prototype training devices, simulation A 775 and computer systems 100 830 64715A D 237 Artillery, air defense, engineering support 989 D 239 4350 Infantry support D 241 Combined arms support 943 598 D 572 Armor - anti-armor support 700 D 573 Army support, Naval Training Eqpt Center \$7580

COSTS OF TRAINING 61102A B 74F Manpower and human resources. ARI Personnel and manpower factors in system design and life cycle costing \$125 62722A A 765 Human factors in system development and operation. ARI 180 63743A A 772 Aircrew performance enhancement in tactical environment. ARI 60 A 775 Human performance in field assessment. ARI 135 195

PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENT

| 62722A | | |
|--------|--|------------|
| A 764 | Training and education. ARI | |
| | Evaluate trainees \$5 | 550 |
| A 765 | Human factors in system development and opn. ARI | |
| | | 180 730 |
| 63731A | | |
| A 770 | Performance oriented individual skill develop. and evaluation. ARI | |
| | TASK C: Development of a performance-based individual extension training system (IETS) for the combat arms | 315 |
| | TASK D: Determination of methods for increasing the combat proficiency of individual armor crewmen | 3 370 |
| | TASK E: Performance based training & evaluation in air defense | L00 |
| | TASK F: Task criticality & dimensions pertinent to a training, OJT and SQT feedback system | 75 |
| | | 180 |
| | | |
| 63743A | | |
| A 773 | Combat unit training. ARI | |
| | TASK B: Unit performance evaluation | 474 |

PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENT Contid

63743A cont'd

| A 775 | Human pe | rformance in field assessment. ARI | |
|-------|----------|---|-----------|
| | TASK A: | Development of evaluation methodologi for use in field test evaluations | es 163 |
| | TASK B: | Human factors & training evaluations for selected weapons systems | 221 |
| | TASK C: | Human factors in operational test and evaluation | 130 |
| | TASK D: | Field assessment of training, doctrine and combat developments | |

using engagement simulation techniques

260 1248

COST-EFFECTIVENESS STUDIES OF TRAINING

| A 771 | System embedded training development. ARI | |
|-------|--|-----|
| | TASK C: Techniques for developing cost- effective training for the Missile Minder (AN/TSQ 73) \$12 | 45 |
| A 773 | Combat unit training | |
| | TASK C: Development of cost effective methods for collective tank training programs | 30 |
| | TASK D: Development of cost effective methods for collective training in | |
| | infantry 26 | 0 (|
| | \$34 | 10 |

INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY

| 6] | 1 | 02 | 2A |
|----|---|-----|----|
| Ol | | 0 4 | H |

B 74F Manpower and human resources. ARI

| Plan and evaluate education, training | |
|--|-------|
| programs. | \$130 |
| Design education, training methods and media | 150 |
| New generation education, training systems | 250 |
| | 530 |

62722A

A 764 Training and education. ARI

| Plan and evaluate education/training programs Design education/training methods and media | 715 |
|---|------|
| New generation education/training systems | 110 |
| Applications to special training problems | 110 |
| | 1375 |

63731A

- A 770 Performance oriented individual skill development and evaluation. ARI
 - TASK A: Individual performance-based training methods, materials, programs and resources for soldiers in schools and at duty stations
 - TASK B: Performance-based, job-relevant evaluation and feedback techniques and materials for individual training and personnel management 225

INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY Cont'd

63743A A 771 Systems embedded training development. Plan and evaluate education/training programs \$360 280 Design education/training methods and media New generation education/training systems 160 Application to special training problems A 772 Aircrew performance enhancement in tactical environment. ARI TASK A: NOE, night & instrument flight training 250 A 773 Combat unit training. ARI TASK A: Tactical engagement simulation 490 training TASK E: Command and control training 150 TASK F: Unit training techniques in USAREUR 320 A 775 Human performance in field assessment Plan and evaluate education/training programs 90 \$2100

FLIGHT SIMULATION

| 62757N | | |
|------------------------------|---|--------------------|
| F-55-522 | Training. NTEC | |
| 4751 5751 4742 3714 | Computer generated visual displays for tng | \$100 60 125 |
| 3718 | Naval training devices Holography for carrier landing | 45 47 |
| 4744 5714 | Generalized VTOL simulation mathematical model | |
| 5742 6711 | | 14 33 |
| 7711 7744 6714 | Motion drive signals for flight simulators | 30 42 |
| 0,1 | delivery systems | 50 |
| | | 631 |

63720N

WPN 09 Training devices technology. NTEC
4781 Aviation wide angle visual system (AWAVS) 3575

COMPUTER-ASSISTED INSTRUCTION

62757N

| F | 55-522 | Training. NPRDC | |
|---|--------------|--|-----------|
| | | Developments in technology applications in training and education | |
| | -03 | -01 Adaptive techniques for automated instruction | \$ 70 |
| | | Technique development for adaptive criterion referenced testing | |
| | -03 | -01 Criterion referenced training, testing programs (50% CAI; 50% instructional technology)* | 50 |
| | 013-0 | 3-01 Computer-based techniques for modelling learner knowledges | 45 165 |
| F | 55-525 | Human engineering, NTEC | |
| | 3754 7754 | Human performance measurement in air systems Automated adaptive training for the landing | 230 |
| | | signal officer | 190 |
| | | | 420 |

COMPUTER-ASSISTED INSTRUCTION (cont'd)

instructional dialogues

63720N

ZPN 07 Education and training development. NPRDC: NTEC, TAEG -03D Computer applications for improving communica-125 tions flow, NPRDC/NTEC Shipboard computer-supported and mgmt and 14B 275 readiness system Individualized adaptive training system 23 350 NPRDC/NTEC Adaptive experimental approach to instruc-30A tional design (33% CAI; 66% Inst. Technology)*235 30B Computer managed instruction in Navy Tech. tng. 225 32 Advanced computer-based system for

665

1875

^{*}Letter from NPRDC, 9 May 1977

TRAINING DEVICES

62757N

| F_55_525 | Human | angineering | NTEC |
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| ドーノノーフとフ | man | engineering. | MILLO |

| 3/51 | Command and control training for Naval | |
|-------|---|-------|
| | Ordnance Systems | \$100 |
| 3753 | Application of voice technology in voice | |
| 5125 | technology in automated systems | 132 |
| 4753 | Generalized sonar/acoustic warfare operator | -3- |
| 1123 | training | 150 |
| 5752 | Assessment and prediction of training device | |
| 2126 | effectiveness | 50 |
| 7754 | Automated adaptive training for the landing | 50 |
| 1127 | signal officer | 190 |
| 1745 | TRADOC operation | |
| 3719 | | 103 |
| 5741 | Optical memory for sensor simulation | |
| | Simulation computing techniques | 115 |
| 6716 | Holographic memory for training applications | 38 |
| 6718 | Advanced sensor simulation utilizing charge | (0 |
| 27/12 | coupled devices | 62 |
| 3741 | Air cushion vehicle feasibility model for | |
| 4 | opt/training | 200 |
| 4712 | Surface navigation and orientation trainer | 75 |
| 6722 | High resolution CCTV multiple target | |
| | insertion for Nav. tng. devices | 53 |
| 6724 | Solid state image sensors | 7 |
| 7714 | Multiple image display system for periscope | |
| | navigation | 50 |
| 7716 | Optical systems for training device development | ent30 |
| 7719 | 360° non-programmed visual display | 150 |
| 7726 | Land vehicle convoy and personnel signature | |
| | synthesizer | 50 |
| 3764 | Universal infantry weapons trainer | 50 |
| 7715 | Lasers for training device development | 30 |
| | | |
| | | 1695 |

63720N

ZPN 09 Training devices technology. NTEC

| | 575 | for avior | | | | maintenance | trainers | 430 |
|------|-----|-------------|------|------|-----|-------------|----------|-----|
| *ZPN | 58 | Performance | aids | test | and | evaluation. | NPRDC | 500 |
| | | | | | | | | 930 |

^{*} Figures also used for Cost-effectiveness studies and Instructional Technology

TRAINING DEVICES Cont'd

64703N

| SPN 14 XPN 16 XPN 51 XPN 45 XPN 47 XPN 50 SPN 12 SPN 15 XPN 49 | Mine warfare trainer. NTEC Warfare analysis research system Simulations Simulated avionics maintenance trainer Laser and holographic applications Electronics equipment maintenance sim. MISTER Sub ocean acoustic training system Aviation weapons system simulation | \$170 550 570 487 447 500 1506 1795 200 |
|--|---|---|
| | | \$6225 |

COSTS OF TRAINING

63707N

ZPN 43

-04 Manpower cost in system design. NPRDC \$475

| PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENT | |
|---|-----------|
| 61153N (42) Learning and training. ONR. (RR 042-06) \$ | 495 |
| <u>62757N</u> | |
| F 55-522 Personnel training. NPRDC | |
| 003-33 Techniques for evaluating individualized instruction -04 Techniques for measurement of job proficiency | 80 45 |
| 010-030-1A Parameter estimation in parameter- dependent programs | 70 |
| 102-03-03 Techniques for evaluating Marine Corps training | 125 |
| F 55-525 Human engineering. NTEC | |
| 3754 Human performance measurement in air systems 5752 Assessment and prediction of training device effectiveness | 230 50 |
| 63701N | 600 |
| WPN02 Air combat performance critria: air crew performance measurement and prediction technology. Block 05. NAMRL | 405 |
| <u>63707N</u> | |
| ZPN 01-05 Personnel performance capabilities. NPRDC OJT personnel performance measurement, propulsion system | 150 |
| <u>63720N</u> | |
| ZPN 07-31 Performance proficiency assessment system. | 273 |

COST-EFFECTIVENESS STUDIES OF TRAINING

62757N

F55-525 Human engineering. NTEC

4751 Cost effective simulation in flight training

\$100

63720N

ZPN 07 Education and training development

| | 25 3 3 | Maintenance training. NTEC Application of instructional technology to shipboard training problems. NPRDC | 360 175 |
|------|------------------|--|------------|
| *ZPN | 58 | Performance aids test and evaluation | 500 |
| | | | \$1035 |

^{*}Figures also used for Training Devices and Instructional Technology.

INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY

61152N

| 01125N | | |
|------------------|---|-------|
| ZRO 4206 | | |
| 03.01 Instr | ructional psych. NPRDC | \$ 60 |
| 61153N (42) | | |
| RR 042-06 L | earning and training. ONR | 772 |
| 62757N | | |
| F 55-522 Trainin | ng. NPRDC | |
| a | comprehensive strategy for reducing ttrition in Navy tech. tng. Instructor's role in individualized | 100 |
| i | nstruction -3A tact. optr. team training improve- | 85 |
| m | ment wanguage skills: assessment and | 50 |
| е | nhancement | 150 |
| t | riterion referenced training, esting programs (50% instructional echnology; 50% CAI)* | 50 |
| | | 435 |
| F 55-525 Human e | ngineering. | |
| | ctional systems development and iveness evaluation. NTEC | 650 |

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INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY Cont'd

63720N

| ZPN | 07 | Educational and training development. NPRDC | |
|------|--------------|---|--------|
| | 01C | Design of training systems/prototype models. TAEG | \$200 |
| | * 25 | Maintenance training, NTEC | 360 |
| | 26 | T&E of a Navy instructor system for the | |
| | | 1980 decade | 125 |
| | 30A | | |
| | | tional design (66% Instructional Technology; 33% CAI)** | 465 |
| | * 30B | Computer-managed instruction in Navy tech. tng. | 225 |
| | *33 | Application of instructional technology to | |
| | | shipboard training problems | 175 |
| | 34 | Prerequisite skills training system | 225 |
| *ZPN | 58 | Performance aids test and evaluation. NPRDC _ | 500 |
| | | | \$2275 |

^{*}Figures also used in CE.
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AIR FORCE

FLIGHT SIMULATION

61102F

| 2313 Human | resources. | OSR |
|------------|------------|-----|
|------------|------------|-----|

| T3 | simulation. AFHRL-AS | \$ 35 |
|--------|---|---|
| | ASU research support Learner-instructor strategies Information storage & retrieval Visual motion cue analysis | 15 30 50 40 135 |
| 62205F | | |
| 1123 | Flying training development. AFHRL-FT | |
| | Maintenance of TAC flying skills ASUPT stratified sampling TTB motion/no-motion study ACM motion/no-motion study | 70 2 270 263 605 |
| 6114 | Simulation techniques for AF training. AS | |
| | CIG image improvement High res. color projector Multiviewer display Multiviewer display CIG edge utilization Schlieren display Sensor characterization Sensor data base Sensory modeling IOS display evaluation Simulation software Simulator testing | 62 45 58 75 75 70 119 70 60 53 |

AIR FORCE

FLIGHT SIMULATION, Cont'd

| 63227F | | |
|--------|---|--|
| 1958 | Training simulator technology integration. AFHRL-AS | |
| | Holographic monochrome visual display Holographic color visual display High resolution color camera High resolution liquid crystal projector Wide angle multiviewer Advanced low cost G-cuing system Advanced motion & force simulation capability Advanced sensor simulation system Alternate sensor implementations | \$625 150 30 100 - 195 50 350 |
| 2363 | Advanced tactical air combat simulation. AFHRL-AS (plus \$50K in-house) | 1500 |
| | | 500 |
| 2364 | Advanced CIG visual/sensor system AFHRL-AS (plus \$25K in-house) | 130 |
| 63751F | | |
| 1192 | Advanced simulator for undergraduate pilot training (ASUPT) (AFHRL-FT) | |
| | CIG. GE Computer. SEL Simulator. Singer Resource protection (plus in-house effort) | 962 497 416 25 (73) |

AIR FORCE

FLIGHT SIMULATION, Cont'd

| 64227F Flight simulator development. Sim. SPO | |
|---|------------------------|
| 2201 KC-135 Boom operator trainer B-52 Aerial refueling trainer 2269 Electro-optical viewing system (EVS) | \$ 800 2700 1700 |
| 2322 Multi-crew visual systems, wide field of view (MCVW) | 2,00 |
| -01 Low-cost wide-angle display -02 Low-cost high-resolution, wide-angle | 600 |
| image generator | 400 |
| -03 Requirements verification | 500 |
| 2360 Tactical air/ground simulations (TAGS) A-10 | 1000 |
| | 7500 |

| COMPUTER-ASSISTED INSTRUCTION | |
|---|----------------------------|
| 61102F | |
| 2313 Human resources. AFHRL | |
| T3 Human factors in system design: Automated data on instructional technology (ADIT) AFHRL-AS | \$150 |
| T4 Psychological factors in ISD: optimum CAI AFHRL-TT (plus \$40K in-house) | <u>50</u> 200 |
| 63751F | |
| 1193 Advanced instructional systems. AFHRL-TT | 2700 |
| 62205F | |
| 1121 Technical training development. AFHRL-TT | |
| Intelligent CAI Student management Sequential testing Micro terminal Low fidelity simulation | 70 20 40 40 50 |
| 1710 Training for advanced AF systems. | |
| Computer-generated maintenance logic diagrams | <u>30</u> 250 |
| 65101F | |
| 3106 MODIA method of developing instructional alternatives.* Project RAND | 65 |

^{*}Figure also used for Costs of Training

TRAINING DEVICES (None)

COSTS OF TRAINING

62205F

| orron. | | |
|--------|---|-------|
| 1124 | Demonstrate/evaluate human resources in design and life-cycle costs. AFHRL-AS | \$ 95 |
| 632431 | 3 | |
| 2051 | Impact of DAIS on life-cycle costs. AFHRL-AS | 170 |
| 637511 | <u> </u> | |
| 1959 | Analysis of C-130 life-cycle costs. AFHRL-AS | 195 |
| 651011 | <u>?</u> | |
| 3106 | MODIA method of developing instructional alternatives.* Project RAND | 65 |

^{*}Figure also used for Computer_Assisted Instruction

\$ 40

62 102

PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENT

| 2313 | Huma | n resources |
|------|------|--|
| | Т3 | Human factors in system design; performance measurement modelling. AFHRL-AS |
| | Т4 | Psychological factors in ISD: adaptive testing. AFHRL-TT (plus \$50K in-house) |

62205F

61102F

1121 Technical training development. AFHRL-TT

| Performance eval: | |
|------------------------------------|----|
| Symbolic performance tests | 40 |
| Performance carrel II | 60 |
| Advanced field evaluation system | 70 |
| Instruct. innov. field performance | 44 |
| OJT performance evaluation | 30 |

1123 Flying training development. AFHRL-FT

C-5 aircrew performance measurement 30 \$274

COST-EFFECTIVENESS STUDIES OF TRAINING

62205F

1121 Technical training development. AFHRL-TT

Cost effective courseware development \$ 33

INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY

| 61102F | | | |
|--|---------------------|--|--|
| 2313 Human resources | | | |
| T4 Psychological factors in ISD. AFHRL- | TT | | |
| Criterion checklist (plus \$30K in-he APS Learning characteristics | s 60 25 85 | | |
| 62205F | | | |
| 1121 Technical training development. AFHRL-TT | | | |
| JDRP Automated comprehensability Literacy gap | 20 50 55 | | |
| 1123 Flying training development. AFHRL-FT | | | |
| ISD in flying training | 65 | | |
| 1710 Training for advanced AF systems. AFHRL-A | S | | |
| Simulation and training requirements effectiveness study | 315 | | |
| Specs and handbook for logic tree troubl shooting aids for intermediate maintena | e- nce <u>90</u> | | |
| | 595 | | |
| 63751F | | | |
| 1194 Fully proceduralized job performance aids. AFHRL-AS (plus \$77K in-house) | * 200 | | |

*Figure also used for Training Devices

INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY

63751F cont'd

2361 Maintenance trainer simulation. AFHRL-TT

| 6883 | | 401 | |
|-------------|-------------------------|-----|----------------|
| | simulation plan | 99_ | \$500 * |
| (plus \$890 | support costs | | 700 |
| 190 | 6.1 reported elsewhere) | | 100 |

65101F

3106 Personnel and training support for advanced avionics. Project RAND 71

*Figure also used for Training Devices

FLIGHT SIMULATION

IR&D (1)

Flying Training Technology

| | 0509-76DL | Air combat visual simulation Goodyear Aerosp. Corp. | \$450 |
|------|-------------|---|-------|
| | 7048 | Advanced-tactical fighter simulation. | 224 |
| | 76-R-1036 | McDonnell Douglas/McDonnell Acft Co. Pilot tng technology. | 224 |
| | 10 11 2050 | Northrop Corp. Aircraft Div. | 80 |
| | | | 754 |
| Simu | lation tech | nnology for training | |
| | *0509-76-DI | ll Simulator software development | |
| | | Goodyear Aerospace Corp. | 50 |
| * 1 | 76R611 | Flight simulator adaptive training | 0.5 |
| | 76005403 | development. Lockheed-Georgia | 25 |
| | 76005401 | Digital visual hardware development - Image Gen. Corp. Singer | 100 |
| | 76005402 | Digital visual software studies scene | 100 |
| | 10007402 | content. Singer | 200 |
| | 76005414 | Development of high resolution color | |
| | | monitor. Singer | 80 |
| | 76005444 | Wide angle display system eval. Singer | 200 |
| | 75005433 | Wide angle digital image gen. display. | |
| | 76005405 | Singer | - |
| | 10005405 | Advanced simul. tech. software systems. Singer | 425 |
| | 76005432 | Calligraphic-digital gen. visual system. | 72) |
| | 1000).52 | Singer | 24 |
| , | 76005445 | Laser camera system study. Singer | 15 |
| | 76D5C53 | CGI system technology. General Electric | |
| | 76D5C55 | Electro-optical viewing system sim. GE | 60 |
| , | 76D5C57 | High resolution digital radar landmass | 250 |
| | 7047.01 | simulation. GE Development of adv. simulation concepts. | 350 |
| | 1041.01 | McDonnell Douglas | 321 |
| | 75R5C03 | Human factors in computer generated | 3-1 |
| | | imagery. GE/Valley Forge Space Center | 40 |
| | | | |

^{*}Figures also used for Training Devices

**Figures also used for Computer Assisted Instruction
(1) Note: All data on IR&D taken from "FY 78-82 Research and Technology Plan, Part III," Air Force Human Resources Laboratory, 15 August 1976. Data apply to FY 1976

FLIGHT SIMULATION Cont'd

Simulation technology for training, cont'd

| 74R102 | Area of interest display technology | ф J. J. | |
|----------|--|---------|--|
| 74R103 | for GCI. GE GCI terrain presentation. GE/Valley | \$ 44 | |
| 1411103 | Forge Space Center | 43 | |
| 75RC04 | Advanced GCI architecture. GE/Valley | | |
| | Forge Space Center | 55 | |
| 74R105 | Advanced GCI data base technology. | | |
| 5001 01 | GE/Valley Forge Space Center | 9 | |
| 5001.01 | Visual simulation technology studies. McDonnell Douglas Corp/Electronics Co. | 300 | |
| 5002.02 | Military simulation system study. | | |
| (0000000 | McDonnell Douglas Corp/Electronics Co. | 112 | |
| 60203001 | Aerial gunnery part-task trainer. Honeywell, Inc/Marine Systems Div. | 62 | |
| 60604002 | IR&LLTV simulation study. Honeywell, | 02 | |
| | Inc/Marine Systems Div. | 80 | |
| | | \$2820 | |

COMPUTER-ASSISTED INSTRUCTION

DARPA (1)

62709E

TFD-2 Advanced training technology

\$528

IR&D

Simulation technology for training

76R611 Flight simulator adaptive training development. Lockheed-Georgia

25

TRAINING DEVICES

IR&D

Simulation technology for training

| \$ 15 |
|-------|
| 350 |
| |
| 321 |
| |
| 50 |
| \$736 |
| |

^{*}Figure also used for Flight Simulation

| COSTS OF TRAINING | |
|---|-------|
| DARPA (1) | |
| 62709E | |
| TFD-2 Advanced training technology | \$ 75 |
| <u>IR&D</u> | |
| Personnel and training factors in advanced systems | |
| D5-76-16R Logistics research. Westinghouse Elec. 7026.01 Avionics cost reduction. McDonnell | 175 |
| Douglas/McDonnell Acft Co. | 55 |
| 4.1.5 Life cycle cost modeling. Unit Technologies/Norden Div. | 25 |
| 76D408 Development of aircraft life cycle estimating methodology. Lockheed-Georgia Co. | 80 |

<u>80</u> \$335

PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENT

DARPA (1)

62709E

TFD-2 Advanced instructional technology

\$159

COST-EFFECTIVENESS STUDIES (None)

| INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY | | |
|---|-------------|--|
| DARPA (1) | | |
| 62709E | | |
| TFD-2 Advanced training technology | \$1217 | |
| IR&D | | |
| THAD | | |
| Flying training technology | | |
| Pilot and flight officer training program Rockwell International/Columbus Div. | m. \$225 | |
| 7047 Development of advanced simulation concepts. McDonnell Douglas/McDonnell Acft Co. | 321 | |
| 76005451 Advanced Tng Techniques. Singer Co./ Simulation Prod. Div. | 60 | |
| | 606 | |
| | | |
| Technical training technology | | |
| 76-D-1527 Systems analysis technology studies - maintainability and system support. Northrop Corp/Aircraft Div. | 65 | |
| | | |